



Mabel Bollinger Dale

July 26, 1929 - Dec. 31, 2022

Mabel Bollinger Dale, 93, of Morganton, NC went to her Heavenly Home on Saturday, December 31, 2022.

She was born in Burke County on July 26, 1929 to the late Delbert H. Bollinger and Cora Clark Bollinger. Mabel was a very dedicated Christian lady. She retired from Salem Elementary. Mabel was a hard-working, simple and humble lady.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Evon "Monk" Dale; four brothers and five sisters.

She is survived by a sister, Joanne Bradshaw; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

A graveside service will be at 3 p.m., Friday, January 6, 2023 at Bollinger Family Cemetery with Rev. Dan Preston officiating.

The family would like to thank Ilene McDaniels, Cathy Duckworth, and the staff and doctors at Amorem Hospice for their kind and loving care.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



Aunt Mabel was a very special Aunt. She was always smiling and so kind! She will always occupy a special place in our hearts and minds.

—Barbara Mills, David Lane and Edith Lane

Sweet Aunt Mabel – I always loved you dearly and still do. You were so much more than can be stated in an obituary... your life was full in every way, you lived with vibrancy, dedication, grace and Godliness. Thank you for sharing your love and wisdom with me over these many years... I will miss our long conversations but most of all I'll just miss you. Will meet you with great joy in the Resurrection! Your niece, Amy

—Amy Martin

Mabel was a true example of a Christian lady. Always smiling and never said an unkind word to anyone. She will be missed and is rejoicing in Heaven now. Tim and Phyllis Wilson

—Phyllis Wilson

Ms Mabel was a very sweet lady. She will be greatly miss by many.

—Roma and Loma Miller

I'm so very sorry to hear the sad news of Mabel passing away. She was a dear friend of mine. I first met Mabel at Salem Elementary. We worked together and enjoyed our work. She was a very dedicated friend. We enjoyed talking on the phone after she retired. I kept working but visited Mabel. I know she's in a better place. Good bye Mabel! I'll miss you! We always hung up by saying I Love You!

—WILSON Patsy R.

I felt blessed to have known Mabel! Being a caregiver with my sister Cathy for a year, we felt was an honor. The nurses she had that came ever week were the very best!! There was not one day that was hard. Loving her and helping her was easy! We loved her like a mother! In this one year we have had so many sweet memories of her, me and Cathy will never forget them or her! Ilene McDaniel

—Ilene Mcdaniel

I loved this lady she was so sweet to everyone and kind and always had a smile she is with family now she will never be forgotten

—Carol Bollinger